## **HOME FUND**

The HOME Program was introduced in 1992 by HUD as the federal government's newest affordable housing program. The program's main objective is to expand the supply of decent and affordable housing for low and very low income Americans. The major differences between the HOME Program and the CDBG Program are that HOME funds can only be used for housing activities; HOME funds require a matching contribution from the participating jurisdiction; and a portion (15%) of the annual HOME grant must be reserved for use by a Community Development Housing Organization (CHDO). HOME funds, in the first years of the program, were used for new construction of rental and home ownership housing. Now, HOME funds are being used for the City-Wide Housing Rehabilitation program and for rehabilitation activities directed by CHDO's which lead to home ownership opportunities or increase the supply of decent rental housing in the city.

## **Prior Year Grants**

FY 1994-95 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditures: BALANCE:	\$	971,213 998,699 (27,486)
FY 1995-96 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditure: BALANCE:	\$ \$1 	,048,813 963,846 84,967
FY 1996-97 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditures: BALANCE:	\$1 <del>\$</del>	,027,025 <u>855,328</u> 171,697
FY 1997-98 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditures: BALANCE:	_	,053,298 803,573 249,725
FY 1998-99 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditure: BALANCE:	_	,111,869 <u>899,946</u> 211,9238
FY 1999-2000 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditure: BALANCE:	_1	,607,560 ,098,168 509,392
FY 2000-2001 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditure BALANCE:		,279,762 77,789 ,201,973
FY 2001-2002 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditure BALANCE:	_	,577,975 77.900 ,500,075
FY 2002-2003 HOME Grant Amount of Grant: Expenditure BALANCE:	\$1	,047,000 ,058,636 (12,650)